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HE GAVE THANKS.

PLATTSBURG PREACHER STIRS UP HIS CHURCH.
He Expresses Thanks For the Great Popular Victory Won on the 8th of November.

PLATTSBURG, Mo., Nov. 28.—Rev. Dr. Rogers, of Kansas City, will be in this city this evening. He is likely to be greeted with a brass band and feted at a banquet by the populace, and this is the reason:

Last Thursday the various local churches held a union Thanksgiving service at the new and spacious Christian church, the largest building of the kind in Plattsburg. A large crowd attended. The church was beautifully decorated, and it was a notable occasion.

The Thanksgiving sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Gauss, of the Presbyterian church, who recently resigned his position of chaplain of the state penitentiary. He took President Harrison's proclamation as his text.

Dr. Gauss preached an eloquent and capable sermon. He recited the many things for which the American people should be thankful. He spoke of the civilization of the age, of the splendid advantages open to every man, of the beauties of American liberty, of God's blessings showered upon every one. When he closed there was one man who thought a great cause for general thanksgiving had been omitted by Dr. Gauss, and he didn't propose that it should be. He was Dr. Rogers and he went right to the front to fill the much felt want and round up the list of blessings for which the people should be thankful.

Dr. Rogers said he wanted to make a few remarks and asked the indulgence of the audience. He couldn't refrain himself, he said. "I've got to talk," he remarked. "I'm thankful, and the people of the entire country have more right to be grateful than for many years. I'm a little boy impatient to make a speech. I've been 32 years looking forward to such a time as this and I'm fairly bubbling over with happiness and thanksgiving. The whole nation has been given occasion to be especially grateful."

Then Dr. Rogers told how brimful of happiness he was. He had a broader smile, he said, than he had worn for over a quarter of a century. He said everybody ought to share in the jubilation and hence he wished to refer to the cause of his great joy. He explained his state of joyful exuberance by telling them of a banquet of Americans in Paris. They had got to that stage in the proceeding where their jubilation was the greatest and one of the Americans proposed a toast to "The United States, bounded on the north by the lakes, on the south by the Gulf of Mexico, on the west by the Pacific and on the east by the Atlantic ocean. Another rose and said the toast wouldn't do. He proposed a toast to "The United States; bounded on the north and south by the poles, on the east and west by rising and setting suns." A third said he couldn't accept any such limited boundaries as that. His toast was to "The United States bounded by the Aurora borealis on the north, the Pleiades on the south, Paradise on the east and the judgment day on the west."

Dr. Rogers said his enthusiasm and thanksgiving over the occurrence of November 8, was as unbounded as the limits placed on the United States by the third of the American toast makers at Paris. He wanted everybody to share with him in thanksgiving. He didn't want it all himself and he believed the people ought to express their appreciation.

One old man who had been dozing in the rear of the church, but who was suddenly awakened during Dr. Rogers' remarks, forgot himself for the moment and called to a friend across several seats: "That's the kind of doctrine. Hurrah for Cleveland."

Some of the listeners did not take this view of it. Rev. Joseph F. Stevens, of the Methodist church (north), accosted Dr. Rogers as he left the pulpit and upbraided him severely.

"I thought this was a union Thanksgiving service," he said, "and not a Democratic mass meeting."

"I felt too good, Brother Steph-

ens," said Dr. Rogers, "I simply couldn't help expressing myself."

Charles Porter, the postmaster, sat very glum and F. D. Phillips, defeated republican candidate for county judge, wore a face wonderfully long drawn out. M. Guyer and Geo. Essig didn't appear to be at all grateful for the blessing Dr. Rogers referred to. Dr. Des Mond looked like he had just caught a strong whiff of those over ripe eggs with which a colored democratic speaker was pelted just before the election.

But everywhere else there were smiles so broad that countless crescents gleamed like a shop full of red hot horse shoes all over the big audience.

The old timers from Castle, Starfield and Tanner fairly hugged each other with delight.

It struck the audience just right and Rogers became the hero of the hour.

A conservative democrat said regarding Mr. Rogers' remarks: "I believe if he had asked my advice I would have told him not to do it but as long as he did do it I wouldn't have missed it for my farm. It did me more good than anything for thirty-two years. There wasn't more than thirty republicans in the audience and they ought to be willing for us to glorify a little over the victory."

And this was why Plattsburg and vicinity feels like greeting Dr. Rogers with a brass band to-night.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

An Interesting Program for the Next Meeting.

The Pettis county teachers' institute will meet at the court house, in this city on Saturday, December 3d. The following program of exercises has been arranged and a most interesting meeting is expected:

PROGRAM.

Primary Geography—Colby Warren.

Ventilation—F. C. Wickline.

NOON.

Exhibition of work.

Busy work for Primary Pupils—G. S. Shaw.

Talk by Prof. A. J. Smith.

These institutes are great aids to teachers in promoting efficiency of work as well as pleasant social gatherings, and Superintendent Scotten is anxious that every teacher in the county, who can possibly do so, shall attend.

A Sad Death.

George W. L. Thompson, aged 22, after an illness of about five weeks, passed from life's troubles into that quiet, dreamless sleep at 9:12 o'clock last evening, at the home of his parents, No. 1418 South Missouri avenue. The cause of his death was typhoid pneumonia.

The deceased was a printer and for several years had been employed at his trade in this city. He was an honored member of Sedalia Typographical Union, No. 206, under whose auspices his funeral will be held. He leaves a heart broken mother and father and a brother and sister to mourn his loss.

It has been but a few years since George Thompson came to Sedalia a boy. He had grown into young manhood in this city, and leaves a large circle of friends to regret his untimely loss. Honest, conscientious to a fault, ambitious to rise above the ordinary things of life, George Thompson was a young man who had the admiration of all who knew him.

The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the family residence.

Passenger Train Delayed.

Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 6 from the west did not reach the city until after 11 o'clock this morning. It was reported to have left Dresden, seven miles distant, on time, but when the minutes began to pass away without any news of the train after it was overdue, those who were expecting friends grew somewhat alarmed, thinking that perhaps a wreck had occurred. The delay was caused by the breaking down of the engine pulling the Ossawatimie freight.

Death of a Little Child.

A little 15-months-old child of Jerome Swilum, of Hughesville, died quite suddenly last night, of croup. The remains will be taken to California in the morning for burial.

Completed To-day.

The Seventh street paving will be completed this evening and another elegant thoroughfare added to the Queen City.

HE WILL DIE.

DEATH AGAIN PRESENT AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

The President's Aged Father-in-Law Sinking Rapidly—Blaine Much Better.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 29.—There is sadness and sorrow again at the white house where Dr. Scott, the venerable father-in-law of President Harrison, lies upon his death bed.

It has been feared for some days that Dr. Scott's illness would be fatal; and now it is known that the end is not far distant. At this hour the patient is in a stupor, and is sinking rapidly with no hopes of a change for the better.

Latest reports as to the condition of Hon. James G. Blaine are encouraging. He is said to be much better to-day and his rapid recovery is expected.

THEY MAY STRIKE.

Jersey Central Operators Want An Increase of Wages.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A committee of the telegraph operators in the employ of the Jersey Central called upon the president and manager of that road this morning and presented a formal demand for an increase of pay. It is not known what the final answer of the road will be, but a refusal to comply with the demand will result in a strike.

THEY MAY AGREE.

Monetary Conference Considering The Rothschilds' Plan.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 29.—The committee appointed by the international monetary conference to consider the plan presented by Rothschilds, went into session this morning, and it is now believed that an agreement will be reached next week.

In Honor of Humanity.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 29.—Speaker Crisp and Governor Patterson arrived this morning to attend a reception to be given to-night in honor of Chairman Humanity. Many prominent political leaders will be present.

Should Have Been Hung.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 29.—This morning Dr. McGonegal, the aged abortionist, was sentenced to imprisonment for fifteen years for the murder of Annie Goodwin. There was no appeal, for the highest court has affirmed the verdict of the jury.

Declared a Draw.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 29.—At 4 o'clock this morning, after eighty rounds, the Greggains-Costello fight was declared a draw. The fight lasted five hours and both men showed remarkable powers of endurance.

Snowing in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—It is snowing heavily here to-day.

Are They the Men?

It is probable that Detective Ben Applegate will go to Nashville, Tenn., to identify the diamond thieves who were caught there yesterday. It is thought that they may be the ones who robbed the jewelry store of Chas. L. Taylor on October 4 and secured a tray of diamond rings valued at \$1200.

To Be Married To-morrow.

Jasper C. Ferguson, a courteous and intelligent colored M. K. & T. porter, leaves this evening for Moberly where he will marry Miss Nettie V. Griffin. Upon their return they will be tendered a reception by the groom's parents at their home in Lincolnville. They will make Sedalia their home.

Killed So Bear.

H. C. Demuth, P. D. Hastain and Sheriff Ellis R. Smith arrived home last night from a big hunting expedition down in the wilds of the Niangua. They had very poor luck.

Before New Year.

It will be like finding money if you come and get some of the houses and lots or farms we will offer for sale for the next 30 days. They will be sold away down low. We buy and sell real estate, sell real estate mortgage notes, loan money, write insurance, and will loan your money for you free of cost. Come and have a talk with us.

Woodfin & Thatcher.

AMUSEMENTS.

Woods Opera House, Tuesday, Nov. 29

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A clean and clever farcical comedy, with catchy musical interruptions. Everything new. No old features. One of the cleanest and best of Musical Comedies.

PREACHER OUTLAW.

He Claims to Have Formerly Belonged to the Younger Boys.

The Rev. William Wilson, formerly of Wooster, O., and later of Missouri, who had been preaching here, stole a horse from a neighbor named Sapp and sold it to Policeman James Hall, says a special from Waco, Texas. He was arrested and entered a plea of guilty. Before being sentenced he made a plea for mercy, but was given the full extent of the law.

It had long been reported that Wilson had been with the Younger brothers in their exploits, and to Sheriff Ford he confessed that under the name of Roberts he had been an officer in the Younger brothers' gang. In his confession he said: "I was born in 1839. My father was the Rev. T. S. Wilson. I moved to Missouri in 1858 and married Miss Mary Clymer, daughter of Senator Clymer. The war broke out and I enlisted in the Second Kentucky cavalry. After the war was over I returned to Kentucky and found my house in ashes and my wife and children dead. It was then that I met Cole, Robert and James Younger. They befriended me; afterward I joined their band. While I was with the Youngers I met Frank and Jesse James. I grew

and a gem to adorn any gallery. It will be hung in the sactum sanctorum where the editor by looking at it can dream of summer, even though old Boreas does his worst.

Mr. Eastey's store is the most elaborate in Christmas novelties of any that ever invited the inspection of the public in this city. There is something to please everybody; the art department is one of the most beautiful ever opened in the city; still engravings, etchings, water colors and pastels, from the lowest to the highest price and including every class of subjects are a most delightful attraction. Toys of all kinds, children's picture books, standard and classic literature in editions de luxe and less pretentious editions, though none the less desirable, can be found in any quantity.

New Streets Named.

The plat of Dundee Place, the fine addition made to the western part of the city by Messrs. R. T. Gentry and Charles D. Minter, has been filed in the recorder's office. Among the new streets are Gentry boulevard, 100 feet wide and a continuation of West Second street; and avenues Frost, Offield, Boone, Shelton, Minter, Allen, Clonie, Oudie, Julia, Ruth and Metsker.

Ripans Tabules purify the blood.

BUY THE BEST

School Shoes

School Shoes

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Wm. Courtney's.

remorseful and left the Youngers, settling in Buchanan county, Mo., where I was ordained a minister of the Christian church. I got out in a tornado and was crippled. I then took to drink, but reformed and came to Texas. I was engaged in preaching at and about Eddy when, during a fire, I sold the horses I got from Mr. Sapp to Policeman Hall, and you know the result."

Wants Damages.

Hermann Waters has filed suit through his attorneys, Sangree & Lamm, in the office of Circuit Clerk Fowler against the Sedalia Electric Railway, Light and Power company asking \$3,000 damages for injuries received on July 17. He claims that on this date at the corner of Seventeenth and Ohio, while suffering from rheumatism, the car was started before he was safely on board, causing him to be thrown to the ground and dragged fifty feet while holding on to the steps of a "trailer" to save himself. He states that his left leg was broken, two ribs on his left side fractured, his knee sprained, together with bruises, from which he is permanently disabled.

"Crossing the Mill Stream."

Frank Eastey, the stationer and art dealer, has the thanks of the DEMOCRAT for a large original etching entitled, "Crossing the Mill Stream," the work of Wm. M. Cary, the artist. The etching is a most beautiful production, delicate in treatment, happy in its subject

With the "Democrat."

Dr. T. T. Clifford, formerly with the *Bazoo*, and well known to all Sedalians, has accepted the position of advertising solicitor on the DEMOCRAT, and will assume the duties of the position at once. In speaking of the change the *Gazette* says:

"Dr. T. T. Clifford, who resigned a few days ago as book-keeper for the *Bazoo*, left on the early train for Kansas City and will be absent a couple of days. On his return he will enter the employ of the EVENING DEMOCRAT, filling the responsible positions of book-keeper and advertising solicitor for which he is so well qualified. Dr. Clifford has been connected with the press of Sedalia and other cities for a number of years, and in his particular line of work no one ranks higher. He will prove an exceedingly valuable man for the DEMOCRAT, and the *Gazette* congratulates Messrs. Stratton & Graham on having secured his services."

Wants a Divorce.

Mrs. Minnie White has filed suit for absolute divorce from her husband, Abraham White, to whom she has been married since January 10, 1889. She claims to have been deserted two months after marriage and wants the custody of her son. G. W. Barnett is her attorney.

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House, 5 rooms, with lot 45x130 ft., 1809 Osage street.
Brick house, 3 rooms and cellar, 1200 Missouri avenue.
House, 3 rooms, with 2 lots, N. W. Cor. 16th and Ohio St.
House, 4 rooms, with 2 lots, N. W. Cor. 14th & Engineer St.
House, 3 rooms, with lot 45x120 ft., 1407 E. 6th street.
House, 5 r's, with cellar and stable, 2 lots, 324 N. Summit St.
House, 4 rooms, with 1 or 2 lots, 221 Chestnut street.
House, 4 rooms, with cellar and stable, 1 or 2 lots, N. W. Cor. Moniteau and Morgan street.

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THEATRICAL ADVERTISING.

What It Costs to Cover Sedalia Bill Boards and How It Is Done.

The probable merits of a theatrical organizations are often judged by the class of lithograph work displayed on the bill boards of a city. As few enterprises can afford a big outlay without corresponding returns, the estimate is usually a safe one. Yet, it is often found that barn storming companies make a specialty of expending all spare money upon their advertising and thus gull the credulous public; it is not often the case, however.

A reporter, while making his rounds in different parts of the city, on numerous occasions has had his attention called to the magnificent lithograph work which the bill-posters were putting up. Of course it is never used but once and the constant drain on the treasury is no inconsiderable one.

The head bill poster for Wood's opera house with his assistants is usually employed about two days in thoroughly billing the city. The amount of work done is estimated in "sheets," the size of which is about 26 by 30 inches. The bill boards, under the control of Dr. Woods, have an area of 8,000 sheets. The cost of covering them ranges anywhere from \$40 to \$130, the average amount being about \$60. When it is remembered that every town must be billed, the nervous strain on the manager of a weak company is most likely to cause him to pass many sleepless nights. The arrangements between the companies and the manager of the opera house is that they furnish the paper and he has it posted.

"Housekeeper's Friend"—The world renowned Charter Oak stoves. Sold only by J. W. Houx.

Gone to Texas.

G. W. Cummings, left this morning for Houston, Texas, where he goes in answer to a wire offering him a desirable position with a construction company now extending the M., K. & T.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—Patrons of the **EVENING DEMOCRAT** will confer a favor upon the management by promptly reporting any irregularity in delivery or bad condition of paper from improper handling.

CIRCULATION.

There are more Sedalia people regular readers of the **EVENING DEMOCRAT** than any other paper.

ATTEND the railroad meeting to-morrow.

KEEP it in mind that Sedalia is not a hotbed of crime.

LIFE and property are as safe in Sedalia as in Boston or New York.

THE north and south railroad now—the convention hall next spring.

SEDALIA has had some pretty good marshals in her time, but never a better one than John De Long.

STAND up for Sedalia and upon all occasions read the riot act to those who slander the city for political purposes.

ONLY — days until the *Gazette* will apologize to Mr. Barnett for insinuating that he was the pet of the hoodlums.

THE north and south railroad is the matter Sedalians have in hand just now, and every loyal citizen is expected to help secure it.

NOTHING is of so much importance to Sedalians just now as the success of the north and south railroad. Sedalia must raise her quota of the funds at once.

ED STEVENS has made a most excellent mayor, a fact that was attested by many of the very best element of the republican party voting for him last spring.

THE effort of the Rothschilds to restore silver to its place in the monetary system is about as earnest an effort at free coinage as Carnegie would make to reform the tariff.

THE question for every Sedalian to consider right now is, how much does he want the Springfield, Sedalia, Marshall & Northern railroad? Then record his answer on the stock subscription list.

THE recklessness of the sham reformer was shown in the *Gazette's* wanton insult to Mr. Barnett, an insult and an injustice for which the paper has not yet had the manliness to apologize.

THE DEMOCRAT learns that ex-Sheriff G. M. Montjoy, of Lafayette county, will be an applicant for the position of United States marshal for the western district of Missouri. He has strong endorsements.

EVERY man in Missouri who favors good roads should also favor a constitutional convention, for without the removal of certain restrictions it will be found impossible to carry on a comprehensive system of road improvement.

THE soliciting committee in charge of the work of raising Sedalia's quota of the fund necessary to secure the north and south railroad met at the Commercial club rooms yesterday afternoon and arranged for a mass meeting on

Wednesday to further consider the matter. Too much interest cannot be manifested in this subject at this time. The building of this road insures a substantial increase in value of Sedalia property and an equal increase in the commercial and manufacturing interests of the city. Coming at this time it will be worth to Sedalia in one year ten times what it costs, and no citizen of the Queen City can afford to ignore the importance of the enterprise or fail to lend it a helping hand. The mass meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms at 10 o'clock to-morrow.

WITH this morning's issue Mr. F. F. Emerson assumes editorial control of the *Gazette*. Mr. J. E. Hall is business manager under the new regime and Mr. E. B. Burrows associate editor. With Messrs. Burrows and Hall, the people of Sedalia are well acquainted, and Mr. Emerson seems eminently fitted for the responsible position he is to fill in the community. He is a refined, cultured gentleman with long years of experience in journalism and will make the editorial page of the *Gazette* an object of pride to the members of his party in Missouri. The DEMOCRAT congratulates the *Gazette* upon having at the helm a gentleman so well equipped for the work required of the paper, and hopes that the new editor may find Sedalia both a pleasant and profitable field for the exercise of his literary talents.

OUR republican friends view with dismay the building of railroads into the "Bald Knob" counties. That section has long been the Gibraltar of the republican party of Missouri, but with the coming of railroads, churches and school houses, the g. o. p. will share the fate that has overtaken it in almost every other section of the country. Peace, good order and democratic supremacy will soon make the bloody history of that section only a memory.

ANOTHER effort is being made to compromise the Cass county bond litigation. Cass is one of the best counties in the state, but, with her judges in jail and this bond suit pending, enterprise is virtually dead, property a drug in the market and the development of the county seriously retarded. Regardless of the justice of the debt, from a financial standpoint the best thing the people can do is to compromise and pay it.

SOME ultra, eternal hate republicans, who neither know nor care to learn the real condition of affairs in the south, want to reward Forcebill Lodge with a seat in the United States senate. If the republicans desire to push Lodge forward as the issue of the party, democrats have no reason to complain. Lodge and McKinley have been pretty thoroughly passed upon by the people of the country.

SILVER will never be restored to its place in the monetary system by purchasing it in the market like corn or beef. Gold is the standard by which silver is measured when it is so purchased, and under such conditions we have no real bi-metalism. Purchasing and coining the white metal is only a make-shift or a pretense.

If the physicians are correct in saying that typhoid fever is the forerunner of cholera epidemic, St. Louis will find herself in a serious predicament next spring. Typhoid cases are increasing with alarming rapidity and nothing has been learned as to the cause that is producing them.

VERY valuable gold mines have been discovered in the Comanche Indian reservation, and a grand rush for claims is predicted. It is pretty certain, if the rush occurs, that more money will be spent in getting out the mines than will be dug out of them.

THE St. Louis *Chronicle* thinks Gov. Francis "will have more influence with Grover Cleveland than any other Missourian," all of which goes to show that a mighty good newspaper may be a very poor prophet concerning matters political.

THE official returns from the late election in this state show a net democratic gain of 9,147 over the vote of four years ago, while the

republicans suffered a next loss of 8,167. The result shows the truth of the remark made by the DEMOCRAT during the campaign, that Missouri was "redeemed" twenty years ago.

THERE is a world of truth in the following remark of the Kansas City *Star*: "The bungling manner in which the ballots were treated under the new Australian law in Massachusetts makes it quite apparent that the voters of that state ought to pay less attention to the 'Whiffness of the What' and devote more time to the study of civil affairs."

AMUSEMENTS.

Funny Rice.

The simple announcement that Miss Fanny Rice and her clever company of comedians and singers will be seen at Wood's opera house on Tuesday evening, November 29th, should be sufficient to fill the house. Miss Rice is well known to the theatre going public from one end of the country to the other, and her record of gratifying successes as the leading comedienne of the "New York Casino Co.," is still fresh in the minds of patrons of first-class entertainments.

In "A Jolly Surprise," Miss Rice fits every part of the display of her versatility; and she sings, dances, imitates and creates, with a vim that carries everything before it. Her supporting company comprises nearly a score of well known metropolitan artists. Everything is new and bright; and Miss Rice's character impersonations in her great imported cabinet scene are worth going miles to see.

HIS STRUGGLE WITH OPIUM.

The Man Won, but Only After a Battle That Severely Tried Him.

From the London Spectator.

One day I realized, writes a former victim of the opium habit, that my word was no longer a symbol of truth, and the moral nature I had not quite drowned, leaped up in the dark and called me "liar!" to my face. Then I awoke, and for the first time for many a day I prayed. Then also came the resolve, the determined resolve, come what may, to be done with this damnable tyranny. At 6 o'clock that evening I took a hearty meal of meat (principally) and a little (very little) red wine. It was June 10, 1868. I had determined to walk into the summer night, walk till I died if necessary, but walk till I won my battle, if I lived through the ordeal.

I left my watch at home that I might not pawn it for opium; I took no money with me; even as I left home and struck across the downs, I felt the craving coming on (the hour for my penultimate day dose was at hand), and I knew my temptation was with me, and realized how long and bitter the struggle was to be. The craving seemed to me a palpable shape that walked beside me, a presence that outran me and lost me, and came back to me like a faithful dog that would not loose or leave me, that I could not leave or lose! Sometimes I sang, sometimes I raved and swore, some times I prayed and wept, but never once, thank God, did my resolution falter.

Much of that night I cannot remember. Dim things came back to me at times, such as a fall I had once, hurting my knee. I think I frightened some one who asked me some question and I believe I can recollect that I myself grew at one time full of fear—fear of hurting myself, not others, and then I suffered thirst—such thirst, such awful thirst—but I must have slacked it somewhere, for in the morning my clothes and necktie were all wet, and so was my hair. At 7 in the morning of the next day I found myself leaning on a gate and looking out on the landscape before me with a sort of curious wonder as to how I came there; my head dropped on my hands. I slept for (I think) only a few minutes and awoke quite well.

Since that day I have never touched it, and have never been tempted to touch it. Of course I am well aware that the doses to which I had become accustomed were not very large, but I am sure they were on the increase, and having told my experience lately to a distinguished English physician, he begged me, for the sake of others, to put on record these plain and simple facts. This I now do, and if I do so anonymously, it is only because I believe no further good could follow the knowledge of my identity or name.

Awful Yale Stang.

From Truth.

Miss Beacon Hill:—What in the world do these Yale boys mean when they say a thing is "easy smooth?"

Miss Worlds-fair—Oh, that's some of their awful slang. They mean that the thing is hunki doki.

WOMAN AS A DRIVER.

A Few Mistakes She Makes in Handling the Reins.

From the New York World.

Comparatively few women drive well. In fact, a man of considerable authority on the subject goes so far as to say: "Never saw a woman that didn't spoil a horse."

In view of this fact it is interesting to note some of the mistakes a woman makes in driving.

Instead of starting a horse with a word, she tries to make him go by giving a backward jerk on the lines.

Instead of commanding her horse to stop, she endeavors to do so by chuckin, dragging and pulling on the reins, which simply tortures a horse with a sensitive mouth.

She gives too slack a rein to a horse going down hill, making it easy for him to stumble and herself less able to control him when he does.

By a contrariness almost perverse, were it not wholly because of ignorance, she holds too taut a rein when the horse is going up hill.

In turning her conveyance she often makes too short a curve, cramping the wheel under the box and placing herself in imminent danger of being upset.

Her tendency to drive at a steam engine pace or jog along in a trot according to whatever her mood may be, has a damaging effect on the gait of a horse, making it uneven.

Instead of holding the reins taut and steady and letting the horse lay in the bit she jerks and tugs at him constantly.

Instead of using the whip with discretion and judgment she slaps a horse with the reins, thus teasing him without increasing his speed.

She holds her reins too high and too far apart, and when she tries to stop her horse she is in danger of "cuffing" herself on the ears.

She generally holds the lines in two hands when she should hold them together in one hand.

A number of other mistakes a woman makes in driving might be recounted, but these are sufficient to suggest to the right kind of women that they owe it to the horses they use to learn how to drive properly. Most women who drive are ignorant of what they are doing as was the woman of harnessing who, after she had buckled the saddle on, put the crupper on the horse by poking the horse's tail through it, pulling and tugging at the tail until she forced the crupper up to its proper place. The horse squirmed and snapped, but nobly refrained from kicking.

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Channing's Statue at Newport.

From the New York Sun.

William Clark Noble's statue of William Ellery Channing, to be erected at Newport, represents the famous preacher as raising his hand to pronounce a benediction. Though the attitude is a critical one, in which a single false suggestion would spoil the effect, the details and general spirit of the work maintain it admirably. The face is pronounced by those who knew Dr. Channing to be a speaking likeness; the garments worn by the preacher are faithfully rendered, while the old-fashioned gown, with its pendant sleeves and innumerable wrinkles and creasings, is a marvel of realistic reproduction.

She Doesn't Play for Him Now.

From the Albany Argus.
"I'm afraid you don't love music, Mr. Keenear," she said as she finished a selection at the piano.
"Oh, I do," he said eagerly.
"I thought you looked bored," she said.

"I may have looked bored," he answered, "but I love music for all that."

American Cholera.

From the Daily Revue, Whatcom, Wash.
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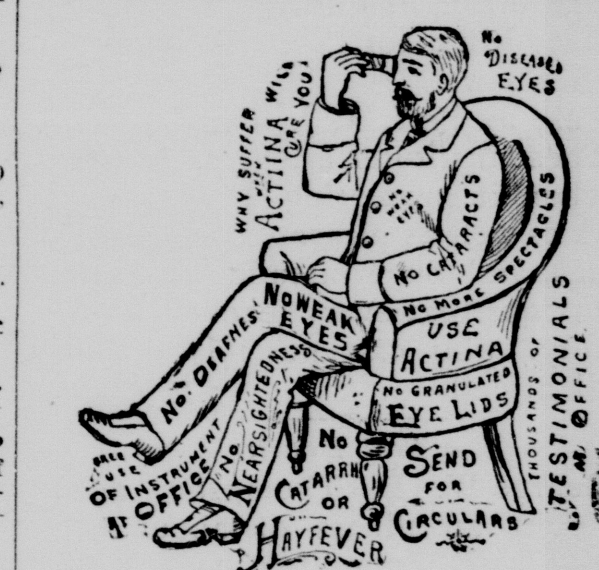
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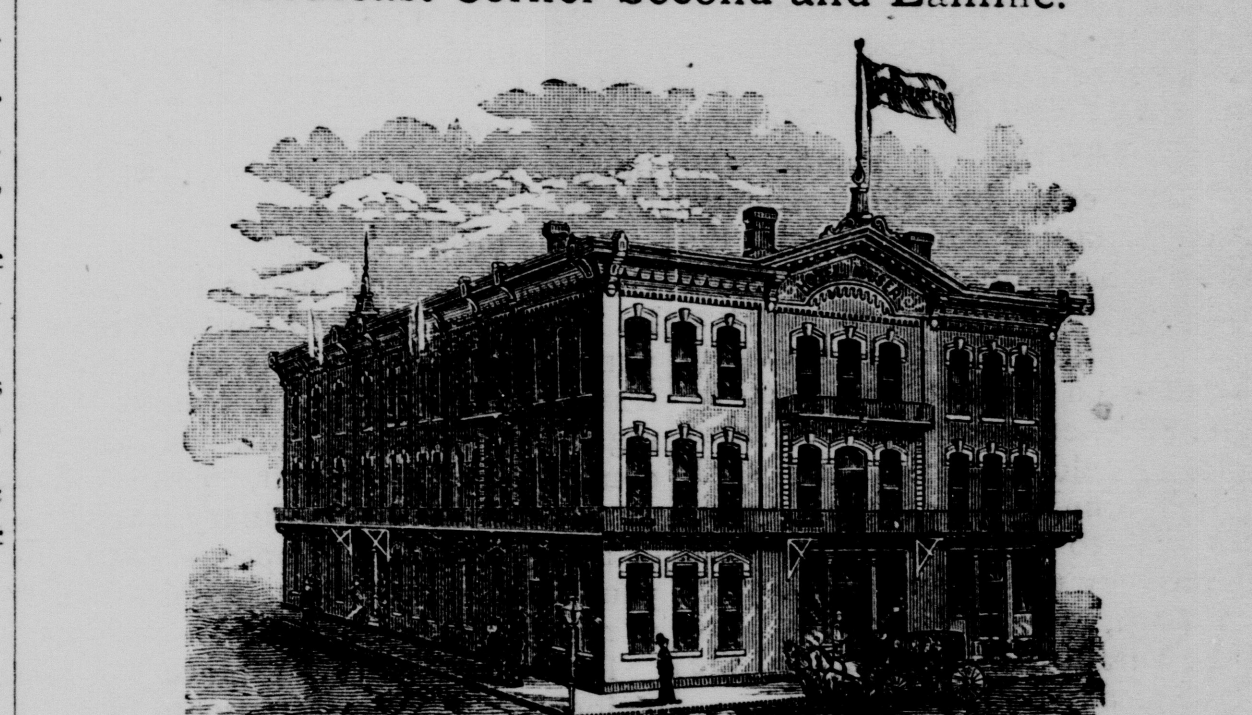
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No. 199, Accommodation,	8:15 a. m.		

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MAIN LINE.		WESTBOUND.	
No. 1 Day Express,	3:25 p. m.	Leave.	3:35 p. m.
No. 3 Night Express,	3:15 a. m.	Leave.	3:25 a. m.
No. 5 Local Pass'g'r,	3:15 p. m.	Leave.	3:40 p. m.
No. 7 Fast Mail,	7:55 a. m.	Leave.	8:00 a. m.
No. 9 Texas Express,	4:55 a. m.	Leave.	
MAIN LINE.		EASTBOUND.	
No. 2 Day Express,	12:35 p. m.	Leave.	12:40 p. m.
No. 4 Night Express,	11:55 p. m.	Leave.	12:01 a. m.
No. 6 Local Pass'g'r,	10:40 a. m.	Leave.	10:45 a. m.
No. 8 Night Express,	12:40 a. m.	Leave.	12:45 a. m.

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No. 191 Local Pass'g'r,	3:45 p. m.		
No. 197 Local Freight,	10:55 a. m.		
EASTBOUND.		Leave.	
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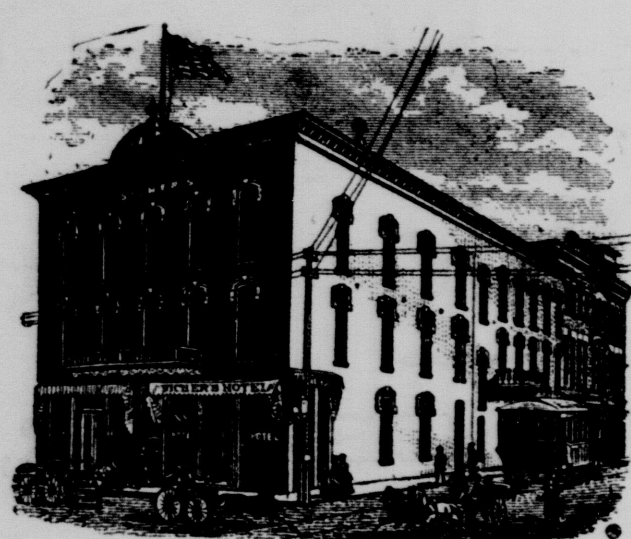
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TRANSMISSOURI TRAFFIC COMBINE.

Proceedings Against It Thrown Out By Judge Kiner at Topeka—Other Trusts Safe Under the Decision.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 29.—Just before the adjournment of the United States court last evening Judge Kiner handed down his opinion in the case of the United States against the Transmissouri Traffic association.

On every point at issue he held against the government. The case, which had attracted the attention of attorneys and corporations throughout the country, is pretty well understood by the public.

The action was brought by United States District Attorney Ady against the Transmissouri Traffic association, and the case was argued at Cheyenne on the 3d of August last under the national anti-trust act.

The association comprises all the railroads from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean which are doing interstate business, except the Northern Pacific and the Southern Pacific systems, fifteen lines in all.

The contention of the government was that the Transmissouri Traffic association is in the nature of a trust and in restraint of trade; that its tendency is to create and foster monopoly and suppress competition, and that therefore it should be dissolved.

Judge Kiner holds in effect that the agreement of the traffic association is not obnoxious to the anti-trust law because it improves facilities for transportation and maintains reasonable rates. The opinion is very voluminous, containing 12,000 words.

It quotes the contention and defense upon every point and all the authorities and not a position of the government is sustained. The action was one of the most important that had ever been brought in the west.

After adjournment of the court a correspondent saw District Attorney Ady and ask him if he had any observations as to the opinion, as to the court, as to his intentions for the future.

"It was impossible for the government to prove that rates at competing points are unreasonable," said Mr. Ady. "On the contrary, the lowness of these rates is made an excuse for higher rates locally. But this was not the real question insisted upon by the government. If the fact that facilities are improved by a combination and that prices are reduced is a defense under the anti-trust law, then none of the trusts and combines of which the people complain, such as the Standard Oil trust, the sugar trust and the beef combine, is obnoxious under the law. It is a fact well known to everybody that the Standard Oil trust has improved the quality of lighting fluid and lowered the price. Such a construction practically annuls the anti-trust law."

"The real object of that law, as I insist, is to prohibit these great combinations of capital which, though they may reduce prices at the commencement, tend to a monopoly in the production and distribution of prime necessities and are dangerous to the welfare and perpetuity of republican institutions. The court also holds that the anti-trust law does not apply to traffic associations by railroad companies which are governed by the inter-state commerce act. This is squarely in the face of the views expressed by Senator Sherman, Senator Edmunds and Senator Vest when the law was framed. I shall appeal the case."

On account of Judge Kiner's decision the best of feeling prevails in railroad circles.

NORTH DAKOTA ELECTION.

It Turns On the Validity of Indians Voting.

BISMARCK, N. D., Nov. 29.—Official returns have been received at the office of secretary of state from all counties in the state except six—Billings, Bottineau, Emmons, McIntosh, Pierce and Taylor. The figures on the counties heard from give the Weaver electors 250 majority. Private advices from the counties not yet officially reported show the Harrison electors to have a majority of 15. Emmons and Bottineau counties have both been held back on account of contests. In Bottineau county Michaels is contesting Haverdill's seat to the legislature, claiming that the 120 Indians in that district had no right to vote. These two counties will figure materially in determining the complexion of the electoral vote of this state. If the Emmons county board is sustained and it is decided that the Indians had a right to vote the electoral vote of the state will go for Harrison. Otherwise it will be for Weaver.

The announcement that the courts would be called upon to determine the right of a woman to hold the office of superintendent of public instruction, has created considerable excitement.

Will Recommend Its Opening.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Nov. 29.—Senators Anthony Higgins, of Delaware, and Bishop W. Perkins, a committee from the senate to investigate the matter of opening the Cherokee strip, were in this city, and with E. C. Little, lately appointed consul-general to Egypt, left on the afternoon train for Topeka. The senators stated it was their opinion that the strip would be opened early in the spring and as a committee they would recommend this upon their arrival in Washington.

The Official Vote of Iowa.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 29.—The official vote of the last county in Iowa has reached the secretary of state and a computation of the vote of the state shows the following result for president: Harrison, 219,373; Cleveland, 196,408; Weaver, 20,616; Bidwell, 6,322. Harrison's plurality over Cleveland is 22,965.

Lieut. Jephson's New Job.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—It is reported that Lieut. Jephson, who was with Henry M. Stanley's last African expedition, has been appointed British commissioner to Uganda.

Six Hundred Children Confirmed.

DENVER, Ia., Nov. 29.—Bishop Hennessy Sunday morning administered the sacrament of confirmation to 600 children in the chapel of the cathedral. It is about eight years since the last confirmation in this city. No difference was made between children attending public schools and those of the parochial schools.

Wreck Near Rich Hill.

RICH HILL, Mo., Nov. 29.—A serious freight wreck occurred on the Missouri Pacific railway, ten miles south of here. A freight train was running south in two sections. The first section broke in two and the second section, which was running at a high rate of speed, crashed into it, telescoping five cars and completely wrecking them as well as the engine of the second section. Fireman Turner, of the second section, was badly hurt.

A Napoleon of Finance Married.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Henry S. Ives, the young Napoleon of finance, who began business with nothing in 1886 and failed in 1887, was married in Lockport a week ago yesterday to Miss Helen Gertrude Leary, of that city. It is said she was engaged to the young man before the grand smash came. The news of the marriage reached New York to-day. Even Ives' most intimate friends know nothing of the affair.

Packing House Deal.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—A deal was closed yesterday whereby the largest of the three packing plants of this city passes from the ownership of the Union Stock Yards Co. and management of Ed Hankinson & Co. into the hands of the Cudahy Packing Co. The Cudahys will take possession to-day and will begin increasing the force at once.

GUNBOATS ON THE LAKES.

Revenue Cutters That May Easily Be Transformed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The fact that the British government has just launched at Lowsen bay, Canada, a modern steel revenue cutter, which may easily be transformed into an effective war vessel, does not cause that degree of apprehension that might be expected for the very good reason that all of the facts in the case have long been known to the officials of the department of state and the navy department. They have satisfied themselves that there has been no breach of the treaty stipulations, that there shall be but one war vessel of the two nations on the lakes.

When the Constance, the first of the new Canadian lake vessels was building last year, an officer of the United States navy visited the ship yard and closely examined the new vessel. He reported that the vessel was exactly what she was represented to be—a revenue cutter of modern type. In her construction a partial protective steel deck was embodied, but this is a necessity in view of the possibility of disabling an unprotected boiler by even a small rifle shot. Also regard was had to the possibilities of the future, and the vessel was so built that she might carry cannon and thus become a serviceable gunboat.

But this is exactly what the navy department has done in the case of all the revenue cutters built in recent years.

Capt. Sheppard, the chief of the revenue marine service, says that it has always been a government idea that the revenue cutters should be capable of easy transformation into light gun boats and dispatch vessels, so as to form an adjunct to the United States navy. The propriety of this course has been amply demonstrated in the past, for it is a matter of history that the revenue cutters have been the very first of the vessels of the United States to take part in active hostilities and the cutter Harriet Lane fired the first offensive shot at the beginning of the last war. The United States has three revenue cutters on the great lakes.

They are the Andrew Johnson, an old wooden side-wheeler at Milwaukee; the Perry of similar type, at Erie, and the Fessenden at Detroit. The latter was rebuilt in 1882 and now has an iron hull and effective machinery.

There was another—the George M. Bibb, stationed on Lake Ontario, but she became useless and was sold. The secretary of the treasury recommended to the present congress that authority be given for the construction of two modern steel cutters on the lakes, one to replace the Bibb on Lake Ontario and one to replace the Johnson, which it is proposed to sell.

The senate passed a bill to that end, but the house commerce committee reduced the number of cutters to one, in spite of the urgent representations of Capt. Sheppard, and the bill as amended is now on the house calendar. If the vessel is ever constructed, there need be no fear that she will not compare favorably with the new Canadian cutters and be as readily transformed into a gunboat, though the intention is to make it primarily a revenue cutter.

The officials at the state department do not care to discuss the treaty stipulations publicly, but it may be noted that the provisions of the treaty of 1817 relative to war vessels on the lakes has never been strictly observed, and that as a matter of fact the United States itself has failed somewhat in that respect by placing a battery of howitzers on the Michigan, instead of a single 18-pounder, as specified by treaty.

SILVER SOLUTION.

M. De Rothschild Wants Silver Kept at 86 Cents an Ounce—Bimetallism Impossible in Great Britain.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 29.—M. De Rothschild's proposals were submitted to the conference in the afternoon. They cover eleven printed octavo pages. M. De Rothschild argues at great length that bimetallism in Great Britain is absolutely impossible and suggests that the question arises whether it is not possible to extend the use of silver generally, and by this means assist in checking a further fall in values. M. De Rothschild said he did not claim that his proposals would prove a final solution of the question, but he did claim that they would prove a palliative. Summed up, his proposals are that America should continue her present purchases of silver and the European powers should continue to buy an amount equal to \$5,000,000 a year for five years at 43d. If silver should rise above that price the purchases are to be immediately suspended. It is expected that the proposals will be referred to a committee.

The Portuguese delegates have been instructed by their government to act in harmony with the British representatives. It is stated that M. De Rothschild proposes to raise the legal tender of silver in England from 42 to 45. Great importance attaches to this proposal as it means that English 45 notes will be payable in silver.

Wreck Near Rich Hill.

RICH HILL, Mo., Nov. 29.—A serious freight wreck occurred on the Missouri Pacific railway, ten miles south of here. A freight train was running south in two sections. The first section broke in two and the second section, which was running at a high rate of speed, crashed into it, telescoping five cars and completely wrecking them as well as the engine of the second section. Fireman Turner, of the second section, was badly hurt.

Six Hundred Children Confirmed.

DENVER, Ia., Nov. 29.—Bishop Hennessy Sunday morning administered the sacrament of confirmation to 600 children in the chapel of the cathedral. It is about eight years since the last confirmation in this city. No difference was made between children attending public schools and those of the parochial schools.

Lieut. Jephson's New Job.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—It is reported that Lieut. Jephson, who was with Henry M. Stanley's last African expedition, has been appointed British commissioner to Uganda.

A Napoleon of Finance Married.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Henry S. Ives, the young Napoleon of finance, who began business with nothing in 1886 and failed in 1887, was married in Lockport a week ago yesterday to Miss Helen Gertrude Leary, of that city. It is said she was engaged to the young man before the grand smash came. The news of the marriage reached New York to-day. Even Ives' most intimate friends know nothing of the affair.

Packing House Deal.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—A deal was closed yesterday whereby the largest of the three packing plants of this city passes from the ownership of the Union Stock Yards Co. and management of Ed Hankinson & Co. into the hands of the Cudahy Packing Co. The Cudahys will take possession to-day and will begin increasing the force at once.

The recent Dyrenforth experiments

in Texas seem to show that bombardment of the clouds brings down rain, though not always copiously.

FRENCH CRISIS.

The Cabinet Resigns on Its Defeat in the Chamber.

A SCENE OF GREAT EXCITEMENT.

Insinuations That the Government Was Interested in the Panama Scandals and That Reinach's Suicide Was a Fake.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—As had been anticipated for some days the trouble over the Panama canal investigation has at last resulted in the resignation of the French ministry. The crisis came yesterday when MM. Ferronnays and Brisson submitted an interpellation in the chamber of deputies regarding the death of Baron de Reinach, who was largely interested in the Panama canal legislation and who it is claimed committed suicide to avoid an investigation, asking why the government did not enforce the law providing for the holding of autopsies in cases of sudden deaths.

Instead of responding, M. Loubet, prime minister, asked the chamber to pass the order of the day pure and simple. The chamber rejected the request by a vote of 304 to 219.

Thereupon after a short consultation the members of the cabinet went to the Palais Elysee and tendered their resignations to President Carnot. In accepting their withdrawals he asked them to continue the business of their respective offices until their successors should have been appointed.

While this outcome of the trouble has been expected for some days the final act was somewhat of a surprise. When the chamber convened Marquis La Ferronnays, of the right, questioned the government on Baron Reinach's death and expressed surprise that nothing had been done to discover the truth in reference therewith. He referred to rumors that the burial was only a sham and that the coffin did not contain the body of Baron Reinach. He demanded that the coffin be exhumed and examined as to its contents.

M. Ricard, minister of justice, arose and said that he regretted that such accusations had been made. It was evident that the intention was to bring discredit upon the administration. There were protests from the right. M. Ricard continued, however. He said that the usual formalities had been observed in the burial of Baron Reinach's body. The doctors had certified that death was from natural causes. A post mortem could not be ordered without previous judicial intervention. He was not prepared to intervene himself, as no crime had been committed.

The parliament committee was powerless to order an autopsy, and he declined to institute judicial proceedings, as it was the duty of the judge of instruction in the Panama canal procedure to cause a search of Baron Reinach's house if he thought it necessary. He concluded by asking that M. La Ferronnays' question be put in the form of an interpellation. He declared that for himself he had acted strictly from a sense of duty. He had not considered that he was compelled to take legal steps.

M. Brisson supported M. La Ferronnays' demand and said that the official seal should be affixed to Baron Reinach's papers, as it should be imperative that the truth should be discovered. He concluded by moving a resolution of regret that these papers had not been sealed immediately on the death of the baron.

Premier Loubet arose and declared that that which M. Brisson requested was illegal.

M. Brisson protested. M. Loubet continued by saying that M. Brisson's words could be interpreted only as indicating a want of confidence, and as the government's intentions were regarded with suspicion, he had nothing further to say.

Great commotion ensued. When order was restored M. Loubet simply declared that he rejected M. Brisson's resolution.

M. Maunjan proposed that there should be added to M. Brisson's resolution an expression of confidence in the government. There was applause from the left when M. Loubet interposed to say that despite his respect for the wishes of the chamber he could not agree even to M. Maunjan's motion. He could accept nothing but the simple order of the day.

There was great excitement and then by a vote of 304 to 219 the chamber rejected the premier's motion to pass to the order of the day.

After the vote rejecting the premier's request had been taken, all the members of the cabinet left the chamber in a body amid the greatest excitement. The chamber then proceeded to adopt M. Brisson's resolution of regret that Baron Reinach's papers had not been sealed immediately after his death, the vote standing 393 to 3. After this action had been taken the chamber adjourned until Monday.

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ARRANGING A STANDARD.

All Parties to the Printing Business Fix Upon a Standard of Type.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The conference committee representing the publishers, typographers, compositors and type foundry, which met at the Yates house to decide upon a standard measurement of type, adopted the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, the present manner of remuneration for the type composition, owing to the system of measurement, is unjust and inequitable for both employer and employee; and Whereas, Differences capable of adjustment exist between the employing printer, the compositor, the publisher and the type founder; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the lower case alphabet of all faces of body type shall not measure less than fifteen lower case M's of its own face, and that the thirteen letters of the alphabet most frequently used, a d e i s m n o u t z, shall equal the length of the remaining thirteen letters of the alphabet.

The conference arrived at its conclusions without difficulty. This is probably the first time in history that there has been a meeting of the employers and employees and manufacturers on an equal footing to adjust trade differences with results so satisfactory and harmonious.

THE HITCH IN WYOMING.

Republicans Claim a Majority on Joint Ballot Which Their Opponents Will Perhaps Overcome.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 29.—The final count of the Carbon county vote makes the legislature republican on joint ballot, which will insure the election of a republican to the senate.

It is said, however, that the democrats and populists, who have control of the lower house, will unseat a number of the republicans elected before consenting to meet in joint session, so as to elect a democratic or populist senator.

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WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 3 O'clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

Cloudiness Wind in tenths.	Temperature Max. Min.	Precipitation in inches.
SW 2	53 30	0.00

Barometer 29.24.

PERSONAL.

H. Kahr, of St. Louis, is at Sicher's.

Jack Gibbs is back from a visit to Topeka.

Dr. Crow, the dentist, is at Green Ridge to-day.

Tyler Harding, of Des Moines, Ia., is in the city.

J. W. Groves, of Chicago, is stopping at Sicher's.

P. G. Walker, of Pleasant Green, is in the city to-day.

Hon. John T. Heard has returned from a visit to Marshall.

Mrs. John Menefee is home from a pleasant visit at Lamonte.

Walter D. Walsh, is representing St. Louis in the city to-day.

Prof. F. C. Billings was a passenger to Boonville this morning.

Chas. Wallace, of New York, is scanning the menu at Kaiser's.

J. G. Holt and wife, of Chicago, are in the city stopping at Kaiser's.

Mrs. S. J. Lovett, of Tipton, is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

C. McGorr, from the tumbling surf of Galveston, is stopping at Kaiser's.

Mr. L. De Julian, representing the St. Louis Tribune, was in the city to-day.

Dr. M. T. Collins returned last night from a professional visit to Hughesville.

The Fanny Rice "Jolly Surprise" company came in from Jefferson City last night.

F. D. Stanberry and J. S. Parker wrote St. Louis after their names at Sicher's to-day.

Frank Anderson, the Kansas City paper man, is in town selling his wares to the rich printers.

Dave T. Chaney, the clothier, leaves for St. Louis to-night on business and will return Friday.

Mrs. M. J. Hastain and daughter, Miss Lina, of Warsaw, are visiting the family of Attorney P. D. Hastain.

Mrs. W. H. Boyd, of Chicago, is visiting her husband, chief train dispatcher of the Missouri Pacific at this point.

Mrs. J. N. Gott, after a pleasant visit with the family of Judge H. C. Levens, returned to her home in Boonville last evening.

Levi Chubbuck, secretary of the board of agriculture, of Columbia, and Christ. H. Chubbuck, of Kidder, Mo., are in the city.

Chas. Carroll has left for Chicago where he has the contract for putting in the electric wires in the Missouri World's fair building.

General Superintendent A. W. Dickinson, of the Missouri Pacific, passed through the city yesterday in his special car en route west.

Gus Lamy, who has been confined to his room for many weeks with typhoid fever, is slowly improving and is now able to sit up.

Mrs. J. Boone Dodge, her mother and Miss Jessie Shepherd left yesterday afternoon for Warrensburg, where Miss Shepherd will entertain her guests.

Capt. H. W. Grant and family, of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., arrived at noon from a visit in Kansas and will be the guests of Lon and Will Van Wagner.

Mr. D. M. Dover and wife, both of Camp Branch, who were married last Sunday at the residence of Rev. Whipple in East Sedalia, left to-day for a visit in Kansas. The bride was formerly Miss Lida B. Youse, of Camp Branch.

Aerial Navigation.
 From the Commercial Gazette.

Germany has a Society for the Promotion of Aerial Navigation, which is patronized by the emperor. The first experiments are to be made with a colossal gas balloon fifty-six feet in diameter and correspondingly tall, and with improved equipments calculated to give it longer floating qualities. It is believed this monster can be made to travel

at a height of six miles. It seems strange that, after all the scientific effort in aerial navigation, nothing better than a bag of gas can be devised. Such an apparatus can never be guided to any considerable degree, but must go with the wind. It would seem that a machine of sufficient lightness, lifting power and safety could be contrived. Until that is done the question of navigating the sea of atmosphere will not be satisfactorily solved. Perhaps when the storage of electricity for purposes of power is fully developed we shall have such a machine. We must have a strong, steady power applied to light apparatus. At present the combination of electricity and aluminum for the material works is the most practicable in sight.

To Dedicate the Church.

A committee of members held a meeting last night preparatory to making final arrangements for the dedication of the First Baptist church, corner of Lamine and Sixth. It is thought that the ceremonies will take place about January 1st. This church is one of the finest in the city, and from a standpoint of Gothic architecture, is said to be the most perfect in the west.

Will Receive This Evening.

Mrs. C. E. Messerly will receive this evening from 8 to 12 at her elegant home, No 216 West Third street. The occasion is in honor of her guests, Misses Sallie B. Pirkens and Lillian Warren, two charming young ladies from Springfield, Ill. The guests will be entertained with cards, hearts, followed by refreshments.

Removal Notice.

J. M. Stonestreet has removed his photograph parlors from 219 Ohio street to 315 Ohio street, where he would be pleased to have his customers call.

A Big Fire.

Fred Hoffman left this morning for Eldorado Springs to settle insurance losses. The big fire of November 13th destroyed \$150,000 worth of property, including the Field's hotel.

Notice to Smokers.

If you want a good cigar buy the Rosa Fina. It is made of clear Havana. A trial will convince you of the same. Manufactured by Pehling Bros.

Ripans Tabules have come to stay

A MAN WITH A RECORD.

Death of Zachariah B. Henry, Who Once Killed Five Men in a Fight.

From the Kansas City Star.

Zachariah B. Henry died at his home, 633 Wabash avenue, Saturday evening, from dropsy. He will be buried at Odessa, Mo., to-morrow.

Mr. Henry, who was well known about town, was a man who had had many more adventures in his life than comes to the lot of most men, although he was never disposed to relate them. During the war he was manager of the great Anderson stock farm in Kentucky. This farm was raided many times by bands of guerrillas. At one time the famous stallion, Asteroid, was stolen from the farm. Henry followed the guerrillas and succeeded in getting back the most valuable of animals. He formed the acquaintance of Quantrell while hunting for stolen horses, and the two became great friends. A year or two after the war, while things were very wild in Kentucky, Henry was attacked by five men, a father and four sons, who for some reason had a grudge against him. In this fight he was badly beaten and shot. A ball grazed his spinal column and he was after that a cripple, not having complete control over his lower limbs. Shortly after his recovery he met all of his assailants in the streets of Harrisburg, Ky., and in the fight that followed shot and killed them all. He was arrested and acquitted the next day. Henry had many ups and downs of fortune and was many times in tight places, having traveled much over the new towns of the West. His good nature kept him out of trouble, however, and he never had but the one singularly fatal shooting scrape. He had lived in Kansas City for several years.

Fine, Juicy Oysters.

Fresh oysters, the first of the season, served in all styles at Sicher's cafe. Also for sale by the can.

Should Learn of Jasper.

From the Kansas City Star.
 After all the medal goes to the Rev. John Jasper, of Richmond, Va., whose astronomical declaration some years ago to the effect that the "sun do move" gave him the unquestioned right to discuss comets. In an interview Sunday the Rev. Jasper said that he "had devoted no time to abstruse questions, such as these involved in the movements of comets," and that his mis-

sion was to preach Christ and saw wood. The astronomers who knew so much on a such short allowance of hair and who let the comet slip through the milky way unidentified, would do well to profit by an old man's advice. Their position to-day must be an embarrassing one.

Candor With a Customer.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

"We cannot claim that our baking powder is absolutely pure," said the agent. "Such a thing as absolute purity is impossible. We do our best, however. For instance, we threw out a hundred pound can last week because it was discovered that one of our workmen had carelessly made a chalk mark on the inside of the can before the powder was put in."

The grocer surrendered.

A Case Calling for Sympathy.

From the Chicago Tribune.

The court had sentenced him to six years in the penitentiary, at hard labor, for the crime of having three more wives than the law allows.

"Think of the sorrow, judge," exclaimed the prisoner, deeply moved, "that this will bring to four estimable families!"

Will Entertain.

Mrs. J. C. Brown will entertain next Friday evening at her home, No. 401 West Seventh street, in honor of Miss Lewis, of Washington, D. C. After cards, elegant refreshments will be served.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was granted to day to Jasper Ferguson, of Sedalia, and Miss Nettie V. Griffin, of Moberly, both colored.

Advertise in the DAILY EVENING DEMOCRAT.

Real Estate Transfer.

A. C. M. Bird and wife sold to A. J. Hall 3 lots 45 by 128 feet each in section 9, township 45, range 21, for \$300.

Girl Wanted.

A good girl for general housework; small family. Apply at No. 120 East Seventh.

Out of Jail.

Fred Julius was released this morning after serving eight days for assault and battery.

Patronize the liquor house at 112 Osage street, Frank Krueger.

Put it in the DEMOCRAT.

SHOP AND RAIL.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO LOCAL TRAINMEN

News About Different Roads, Employers and Employees.

Switch Engines Smashed.

About 8 o'clock this morning switch engines Nos. 203 and 206 collided near the shanty in the east yards, the accident taking place on a curve. No. 203 was badly disfigured.

J. Ran Grant has resigned his position as assistant ticket agent for the Queen and Crescent, and Texas and Pacific railways at Shreveport, La., and will open a ticket broker's office in that city.

The Wheat Blockade.

HERON, S. D., Nov. 29.—Chairman Rice, of the state railway commission, went to the southern part of the state to-day to secure, if possible, a break in the wheat blockade. He estimates that over a million bushels of wheat are stored in warehouses and elevators on various lines of road in South Dakota. The commission is delayed with complaints of insufficiency of cars and are powerless to give relief. The Chicago and Northwestern has added ten locomotives to the Dakota Central division the past week and is doing its utmost to relieve the overburdened elevators and warehouses. Over 200 car loads have been sent from this immediate vicinity the past 24 hours. On this division alone over 1,000,000 bushels of wheat were shipped to eastern markets last month. The deep snow in the northern part of the state will delay threshing and hauling of grain to market and thus give railways an opportunity to relieve points where buying has ceased because of no storage. The present blockade is worse than that experienced last November, and is likely to continue till the middle of February. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul line has added largely to its rolling stock, but it is unable to meet the demands of shippers at many points on that line. Buyers have given notice to farmers not to haul grain to market, as it could not be received.

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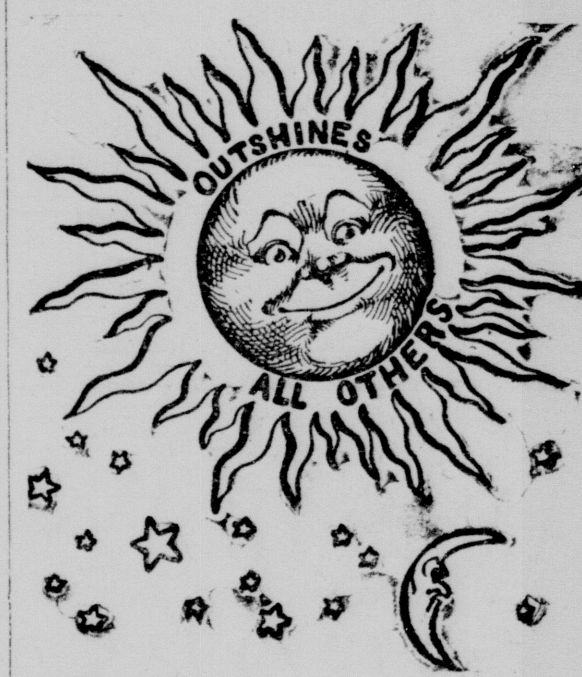
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Let your Light Shine. If you have got a good thing let others know of it. We have our store open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m., except Sundays. We show you a magnificent stock of goods, durable and cheap. Everything to be found in any first-class carpet store in the eastern cities can be found here. Will show you the nicest lot of goods for Holiday trade ever seen in Sedalia. Don't buy until you see

Sedalia Carpet Company, CORNER THIRD AND LAMINE.

A Worthy Church.

The Second Congregational church in Southeast Sedalia, of which Rev. Marsh is pastor, has purchased a new organ and used it for the first time last Sunday. The church does not owe a cent on the organ, having paid for it in full.

When in St. Louis, stop at Hotel Barnum, Cor. Sixth and Washington Ave.

Be in Time! Be in Time!!

Christmas!!!
 Crayons!!!
 Photographs!!!
 Just the thing for a present.
 Takes time to make them.

See?
 LATOUR,
 The Photographer.

N. B.—If you can make anything out of the above by reading it backward, you can get a house and lot and pay for it on the installment plan. "Wein herchen was willst du noch mehr?"

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\$6.50, good clocks \$4.00 to \$4.50; spectacles 25 cents and upwards. Call at 511 East Third street.

A Beautiful Ceremony.

Sedalia lodge of Elks, No. 125, will hold its lodge of sorrow next Sunday at the Congregational church at 3 o'clock p. m. The services of such an occasion are unusually impressive and beautiful. The friends of the lodge are invited to attend, and there will doubtless be a large audience. The services commemorate the members who have gone before to join the great and silent brotherhood.

Wines and liquors, 112 Osage, Frank Krueger.

Fine, Juicy Oysters.

Fresh oysters, the first of the season, served in all styles at Sicher's cafe. Also for sale by the can.

Police Court.

Dug Ogan, drunk, was fined \$5. C. A. Martin, for the same offense, also dropped a fiver,

In Our Carpet Department!

We are showing better values than usual in all lines. Carpets, Matting, Oilcloths, Linoleums, Portieres, Lace Curtains and other Draperies. Full line of Rugs and House Furnishings.

John : Walmsley : & : Co.
 223 Ohio Street.

The Second Week closes with 1785 guesses for the Pony team. Now, boys, we advise you to get in your guess. The Ball of Pins is displayed in our show windows. To guess the number of pins, or the nearest number to it, means you get the match team of black Arabian Ponies, Wagon and Harness, Free. Every purchaser entitled to a guess.

EXTRAORDINARY: OVERCOAT SALE:

In the very heart of the season, we give the people of Sedalia the elegant chance to buy a first-class overcoat for little money, having bought over six hundred (600) overcoats at less than manufacturer's cost (ready cash did it), enables us to offer you, from now until they are sold out, good \$14, \$15, \$16, \$17 and \$18 overcoats in Kersey, Meltons, Cassimers, Friezes, Chinchillas, in all the new colorings, dark or light shades, for the small sum of

\$12.50.

ST. LOUIS CLOTHING CO., Corner Second and Ohio Streets.

We also offer this week special drives in BOYS' UNDERWEAR,

For 25, 35, 50 & 75 Cents.

COME AND SEE THEM.

Counterfeiting.—In a few days you will undoubtedly see advertised, by some would-be competitor, Overcoats for \$12 or \$12.50, but, let us assure you, these Overcoats we offer you in this Special Sale were purchased for this occasion, and we have too many to speculate on them at regular prices—hence they must go—at \$12.50, and all imitating sales can't compare with our values. Of course, if there were no genuine dollars, there would be no counterfeits. Pretty hard to be the counterfeits sometimes, but in our Special Overcoat offerings you will easily detect the genuine at sight.